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Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

Name	O P I Products, Inc.
Granted to Date of previous extension	06/10/2012
Address	13034 Saticoy Street North Hollywood, CA 91605 UNITED STATES

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Applicant Information

Application No	85165151	Publication date	12/13/2011
Opposition Filing Date	06/07/2012	Opposition Period Ends	06/10/2012
Applicant	OPIVU Products & Cosmetics, LLC Suite A 111 Town & Country Drive Danville, CA 94526 UNITED STATES		

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 003. F	First Use: 2010/10/29 First Use In Commerce: 2010/10/29
All goods an	nd services in the class are opposed, namely: Cosmetics

Grounds for Opposition

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)	
Torres v. Cantine Torresella S.r.I.Fraud	808 F.2d 46, 1 USPQ2d 1483 (Fed. Cir. 1986)	

Marks Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	1374489	Application Date	10/10/1984
Registration Date	12/10/1985	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	OPI		

Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 003. First use: First Use: 1983/01/01 First Use In Commerce: 1983/01/01 ACRYLIC POWDERS AND BONDING LIQUIDS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS AND KITS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS, COMPRISING ACRYLLIC POWDERS, BONDING LIQUIDS DISINFECTANTS, GLUE REMOVERS, POLISH REMOVERS, BRUSH CLEANERS, NAIL ADHESIVES, BRUSHES, DAPPER DISHES, EYE DROPPERS AND FILES, SOLD TO BEAUTY SALONS

U.S. Registration No.	2300077	Application Date	01/12/1999
Registration Date	12/14/1999	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	OPI		
Design Mark			
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Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 003. First use: First Use	e: 1981/00/00 First U	se In Commerce: 1981/00/00
	avocado based oil for treating nails and cuticles, nail lacquer, nail polish remover, cuticle cream, lipstick, lip liner, nail polish base coats, nail polish top coats and nail hardener		

U.S. Registration No.	2407311	Application Date	06/10/1999
Registration Date	11/21/2000	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	CLARITE' BY OPI		

Design Mark			
	CLARI	TE' BY OPI	
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 003. First use: First Use: 1999/08/01 First Use In Commerce: 1999/08/01 acrylic powders and bonding liquids for making artificial fingernails, and kits for making artificial fingernails comprising acrylic powders and bonding liquids		
U.S. Registration No.	3037202	Application Date	04/07/2004
Registration Date	01/03/2006	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	OPI NAIL LACQUER	•	•

Word Mark Design Mark OPI NAIL LACQUER OPI NAIL LACQUER Description of Mark NONE Goods/Services Class 003. First use: First Use: 1989/00/00 First Use In Commerce: 1989/00/00 nail lacquer

U.S. Registration No.	3164420	Application Date	03/16/2005
Registration Date	10/31/2006	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	O-P-I		
Design Mark	O·3	P·I	
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services	Class 041. First use: First Use: 1981/00/00 First Use In Commerce: 1981/00/00 Educational services, namely training services in the field of nail care		

U.S. Registration	4020112	Application Date	12/17/2009
No.		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Registration Date	08/30/2011	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	O·P·I		
Design Mark	\mathbf{O}	P •	
Description of Mark	NONE		
Goods/Services			lse In Commerce: 1991/00/00
	Cosmetics, namely, bronzing creams and powders for the body, lip gloss, lipstick, nail polish, nail strengtheners, nail hardeners, nail care preparations; artificial fingernail products, namely, overlays used for reinforcing fingernails, artificial fingernail care preparations, artificial fingernails, and adhesives for attaching artificial fingernails, eye shadows, eye pencils and eyeliners, cosmetic oils; cosmetics; bath crystals, sun tanning preparations, sun blocks, sunscreen creams, non-medicated sun protection lotions, non-medicated sun protection creams, creams and lotion for the body, lip moisturizers, non-medicated lip balms; non-medicated foot cream, skin and nail moisturizers; non-medicated protective and moisturizing skin ointments, creams and cleansers; masks, scrubs for cosmetic purposes; age-retardant creams, lotions and gels		

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Signature	/dax alvarez/
Name	Dax Alvarez
Date	06/07/2012

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

O P I Produc	cts, Inc.,))
	Opposer,)
V.) Opposition No
OPIVU Products & Cosmetics, LLC)) Serial No. 85/165,151
	Applicant.)
Mark: Serial No.: Filed: Published:	OPIVU 85/165,151 October 29, 2010 December 13, 2011	

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Opposer, O P I Products, Inc. (hereinafter "Opposer"), by and through its undersigned attorneys, opposes the application for registration of the above-referenced mark, namely, Serial No. 85/165,151, for the reason that Opposer will be damaged by the registration of the mark on the Principal Register, as set forth below:

- 1. Opposer, O P I Products, Inc., is a Delaware corporation located at 13034 Saticoy Street, North Hollywood, California 91605.
- 2. Upon information and belief, OPIVU Products & Cosmetics, LLC (hereinafter "Applicant") is a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware with a business address at 111 Town and Country Drive, Suite A, Danville, California 94526.

3. Opposer is the owner of the following trademarks registered on the Principal Register of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

(A) OPI (Stylized), Registration No. 1,374,489

Reg. Date: 12/10/85

Goods: "acrylic powders and bonding liquids for making artificial fingernails and kits for making artificial fingernails, comprising acrylic powders, bonding liquids disinfectants, glue removers, polish removers, brush cleaners, nail adhesives, brushes, dapper dishes, eye droppers and files, sold to beauty salons";

(B) OPI, Registration No. 2,300,077

Reg. Date: 12/14/99

Goods: "avocado based oil for treating nails and cuticles, nail lacquer, nail polish remover, cuticle cream, lipstick, lip liner, nail polish base coats, nail polish top coats and nail hardener";

(C) CLARITE' BY OPI, Registration No. 2,407,311

Reg. Date: 11/21/00,

Goods: "acrylic powders and bonding liquids for making artificial fingernails, and kits for making artificial fingernails comprising acrylic powders and bonding liquids";

OPI NAIL LACQUER, Registration No. 3,037,202 (D)

Reg. Date: 1/3/06

Goods: "nail lacquer";

(E) O.P.I, Registration No. 3,164,420

Reg. Date: 10/31/06

Services: "educational services, namely training services in the field of nail

care."

(F) O·P·I, Registration No. 4,020,112

Reg. Date: 8/30/11

Services: "cosmetics, namely, bronzing creams and powders for the body, lip gloss,

lipstick, nail polish, nail strengtheners, nail hardeners, nail care preparations;

artificial fingernail products, namely, overlays used for reinforcing fingernails,

artificial fingernail care preparations, artificial fingernails, and adhesives for

attaching artificial fingernails, eye shadows, eye pencils and eyeliners, cosmetic oils;

cosmetics; bath crystals, sun tanning preparations, sun blocks, sunscreen creams,

non-medicated sun protection lotions, non-medicated sun protection creams, creams

and lotion for the body, lip moisturizers, non-medicated lip balms; non-medicated

foot cream, skin and nail moisturizers; non-medicated protective and moisturizing

skin ointments, creams and cleansers; masks, scrubs for cosmetic purposes; age-

retardant creams, lotions and gels."

Copies of the registration information from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

database are attached hereto as Exhibits "A" through "F" and incorporated herein by

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reference.

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- 4. Opposer has used the mark OPI alone and with various composite marks since at least as early as 1983 in connection with a variety of beauty and nail care products and related services.
- 5. Opposer's trade name, OPI Products, Inc., has been in use since 1981 and is well-known in the beauty and nail care industry.
- 6. Opposer has developed valuable goodwill associated with its name and mark and is a leader in the beauty and nail care fields.
- 7. Upon information and belief, Applicant filed a use-based trademark application on or about October 29, 2010 alleging that the mark was first used anywhere and first used in interstate commerce on October 29, 2010.
- 8. Upon information and belief, Applicant seeks registration for the following goods:

Class 3 – Cosmetics

- 9. Upon information and belief, the goods for which Applicant seeks registration may be marketed in the same or similar channels as Opposer's goods and services, and in any event, the identification of goods is not limited as to market channels.
- 10. Applicant's U.S. Application for registration of the mark OPIVU is highly similar to Opposer's famous OPI and OPI formative marks as to be likely, when used in connection with Applicant's goods, to cause or result in dilution of Opposer's trademarks and trade name as defined in Section 43(c) of the Trademark Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1125(d).

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- 11. The similarities between the marks OPIVU for which Applicant seeks registration and the numerous OPI and other OPI-formative marks owned by Opposer are such that prospective purchasers or consumers of the goods of Applicant and the goods and services of the Opposer are likely to be confused, mistaken, or deceived as to the source, sponsorship or association of Applicant and Opposer and their respective goods and services.
- 12. The goods and services of Opposer and the goods of Applicant are closely related such that prospective purchasers are likely to believe that they emanate from a single source.
- 13. Upon information and belief, Applicant did not provide cosmetics displaying the mark on the date claimed in the application.
- 14. Upon information and belief, the mark was not in use for the goods identified in the application as claimed by the Applicant in the application at the time of filing.
- 15. Upon information and belief, Applicant knew or should have known that the statements that the mark was in use in interstate commerce with the goods identified in the application were false or misleading.
- 16. Upon information and belief, Applicant's statement that the mark was in use in commerce for the goods identified in the application constituted a knowing false representation of material fact.
- 17. Upon information and belief, but for the false statement in the application, the United States Patent and Trademark Office would not have approved the application for registration.

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18. Due to Applicant's filing of an application for goods that it knew or should have known were not in use in commerce, Applicant committed fraud on the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

WHEREFORE, Opposer prays that U.S. Application Serial No. 85/165,151 be rejected and that the mark sought for the goods therein specified in International Class 3 be denied and refused.

Opposer herewith submits with this Notice of Opposition along with the requisite filing fee in the amount of \$300.00.

Please charge any fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY SOKOLOFF TAYLOR & ZAFMAN LLP

Dated: June 7, 2012

Dax Alvarez

Counsel for Opposer

12400 Wilshire Boulevard Seventh Floor Los Angeles, California 90025-1040 (310) 207-3800 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted electronically to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 7, 2012.

Christina Cigliano

June 7, 2012

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document filed via the Electronic System for Trademark Trials and Appeal Board entitled:

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John E. Russell Allmark Trademark 2089 Avy Avenue Menlo Park, CA 94025

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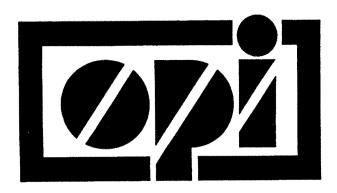
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Prior U.S. Cls.: 6 and 51

Reg. No. 1,374,489

United States Patent and Trademark Office Registered Dec. 10, 1985

TRADEMARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER



OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPO-RATION) #30 7361 ETHEL AVENUE NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

FOR: ACRYLIC POWDERS AND BONDING LIQUIDS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGER-NAILS AND KITS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS, COMPRISING ACRYLLIC POWDERS, BONDING LIQUIDS DISINFECT- ANTS, GLUE REMOVERS, POLISH REMOV-ERS, BRUSH CLEANERS, NAIL ADHESIVES, BRUSHES, DAPPER DISHES, EYE DROPPERS AND FILES, SOLD TO BEAUTY SALONS, IN CLASS 3 (U.S. CLS. 6 AND 51).

FIRST USE 1-1-1983; IN COMMERCE 1-1-1983.

SER. NO. 503,215, FILED 10-10-1984.

GARY L. SHAFFER, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

Prior U.S. Cls.: 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 and 52

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 2,300,077 Registered Dec. 14, 1999

TRADEMARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

OPI

OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPO-RATION) 13034 SATICOY STREET NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

FOR: AVOCADO BASED OIL FOR TREATING NAILS AND CUTICLES, NAIL LACQUER, NAIL POLISH REMOVER, CUTICLE CREAM, LIPSTICK, LIP LINER, NAIL POLISH BASE COATS, NAIL POLISH TOP COATS AND NAIL

HARDENER, IN CLASS 3 (U.S. CLS. 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 AND 52).

FIRST USE 0-0-1981; IN COMMERCE 0-0-1981.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,374,489, 1,412,881, AND 1,813,313.

SER. NO. 75-619,421, FILED 1-12-1999.

ANDREA KOYNER, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

Prior U.S. Cls.: 1, 4, 6, 50, 51, and 52

Reg. No. 2,407,311

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Registered Nov. 21, 2000

TRADEMARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

CLARITE' BY OPI

OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPORA-TION) 13034 SATICOY STREET NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

FOR: ACRYLIC POWDERS AND BONDING LIQ-UIDS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS, AND KITS FOR MAKING ARTIFICIAL FINGER- NAILS COMPRISING ACRYLIC POWDERS AND BONDING LIQUIDS, IN CLASS 3 (U.S. CLS. 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 AND 52).

FIRST USE 8-1-1999; IN COMMERCE 8-1-1999.

SN 75-726,393, FILED 6-10-1999.

LINDA E. BLOHM, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

Prior U.S. Cls.: 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 and 52

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 3,037,202

Registered Jan. 3, 2006

TRADEMARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

OPINAIL LACQUER

OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPORATION) 13034 SATICOY STREET NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

FOR: NAIL LACQUER, IN CLASS 3 (U.S. CLS. 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 AND 52).

FIRST USE 0-0-1989; IN COMMERCE 0-0-1989.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,374,489, 1,412,881, AND 2,300,077.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE "NAIL LACQUER", APART FROM THE MARK AS SHOWN.

SER. NO. 76-585,869, FILED 4-7-2004.

HENRY S. ZAK, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

Prior U.S. Cls.: 100, 101 and 107

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 3,164,420

Registered Oct. 31, 2006

SERVICE MARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

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OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (CALIFORNIA CORPORATION)

13034 SATICOY STREET

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

FOR: EDUCATIONAL SERVICES, NAMELY TRAINING SERVICES IN THE FIELD OF NAIL CARE, IN CLASS 41 (U.S. CLS. 100, 101 AND 107).

FIRST USE 0-0-1981; IN COMMERCE 0-0-1981.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PARTICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. $2,300,077,\ 2,862,306$ AND OTHERS.

SER. NO. 76-633,578, FILED 3-16-2005.

MICHAEL TANNER, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

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Reg. No. 4,020,112

OPI PRODUCTS, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORATION) 13034 SATICOY STREET

Registered Aug. 30, 2011 NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91605

Int. Cl.: 3

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PRINCIPAL REGISTER

FOR: COSMETICS, NAMELY, BRONZING CREAMS AND POWDERS FOR THE BODY, LIP GLOSS, LIPSTICK, NAIL POLISH, NAIL STRENGTHENERS, NAIL HARDENERS, NAIL CARE PREPARATIONS; ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAIL PRODUCTS, NAMELY, OVERLAYS USED FOR REINFORCING FINGERNAILS, ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAIL CARE PREPARA-TIONS, ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS, AND ADHESIVES FOR ATTACHING ARTIFICIAL FINGERNAILS, EYE SHADOWS, EYE PENCILS AND EYELINERS, COSMETIC OILS; COSMETICS; BATH CRYSTALS, SUN TANNING PREPARATIONS, SUN BLOCKS, SUN-SCREEN CREAMS, NON-MEDICATED SUN PROTECTION LOTIONS, NON-MEDICATED SUN PROTECTION CREAMS, CREAMS AND LOTION FOR THE BODY, LIP MOISTURIZERS, NON-MEDICATED LIP BALMS; NON-MEDICATED FOOT CREAM, SKIN AND NAIL MOISTURIZERS; NON-MEDICATED PROTECTIVE AND MOISTURIZING SKIN OINT-MENTS, CREAMS AND CLEANSERS; MASKS, SCRUBS FOR COSMETIC PURPOSES; AGE-RETARDANT CREAMS, LOTIONS AND GELS, IN CLASS 3 (U.S. CLS. 1, 4, 6, 50, 51 AND

FIRST USE 0-0-1991; IN COMMERCE 0-0-1991.

THE MARK CONSISTS OF STANDARD CHARACTERS WITHOUT CLAIM TO ANY PAR-TICULAR FONT, STYLE, SIZE, OR COLOR.

OWNER OF U.S. REG. NOS. 1,813,313, 3,164,420, AND OTHERS.

SN 77-896,293, FILED 12-17-2009.

MARK PILARO, EXAMINING ATTORNEY



Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office